

In school this week our Year 5 pupils enjoyed taking part in a Sing, Dance and Leap workshop with the Royal Ballet and Opera as part of Bradford City of Culture.

Unfortunately, due to ongoing heating issues with the boiler in church we are sadly unable to invite parents to join us this year for our Harvest celebration which takes place on the 8th October. Our children will still enjoy a special Harvest service in the school hall led by Mrs Gibson. We will still be taking donations as usual for the Bradford North Foodbank.

Finally, if you would like to speak with your child's class teacher please speak to the main office who will be happy to arrange an appointment in person or over the phone. Please avoid speaking to teachers at the end of the school day when they are focussing on ensuring all children are handed over safely to their parent/carer. Thank you for your support with this.

Have a lovely weekend!
Miss Ackroyd

Parent/Carer Drop-In

As part of our support for parents/carers we will now be holding a weekly drop in session.



Drop-in for a cuppa and one to one chat with Mrs Dignam and Mrs Hodgson about any matters that are important to you.

Every Tuesday 8-45 am – 9.30 am



No appointment needed



Autumn term 1

Tuesday 1 st October	5.30pm Year 6 London residential meeting for parents
Thursday 3 rd October	Nasal flu spray
Wednesday 9 th October	Year 4 water safety talk
Thursday 10 th October	Mental Health Awareness day – wear Yellow!
Tuesday 15 th October	Reception and Year 1 handwashing sessions
Tuesday 15 th October	9am SEND/MIND coffee morning/brunch
Wednesday 16 th October	Year 4 class assembly – 9am
Friday 18 th October	St Luke's celebration day
Monday 21 st October	Year 6 Frisbee Festival – selected pupils
Friday 25 th October	School closes for half term

Weekly Events

Every Tuesday – 8.45am – 9.30am	Parent/Carer Drop in sessions – no appointment needed
Every Thursday 8.45-10.30am	Playgroup in the hall
Every Friday at 9am	Celebration assembly – parents of children receiving awards will be invited by text

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Year 5 Ballet and Opera Workshop



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Celebrations and Achievements

866

Well done to St Matthew- House of the Week
with 866 house points!

791

669

805

Attendance

Well done to
Year 3 our top
attending class
with 99.6%

Our whole
school
attendance this
week is 96.8%



'You're a Star' award winners!

Year 1: Theo – settling really well into Year 1

Year 2: Roman – trying really hard in English and maths

Year 3: Harver – starting Year 3 with an amazing attitude to learning. We are so proud!

Year 4: Laura – being an 'always' child and making an amazing impression on Miss Firth

Year 5: Olly – Actively taking part and contributing in the opera and ballet workshop

Year 6: Luca – consistently good effort in all areas and showing a great attitude to meet Year 6 expectations

Writing Award winners!

Year 1: Grayson – excellent informative writing about Eccleshill

Year 2: Emma – brilliant writing about Peel Park

Year 3: Oliwier – a fabulous setting description using prepositions, expanded nouns and adverbs. Well done!

Year 4: Milla – an excellent non-chronological report about Saltaire

Year 5: Abigail – writing an excellent biography about Titus Salt

Year 6: Tia – a huge effort with handwriting and some brilliant pieces of creative work



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